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Sir:

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1. Online Credit Card Payment Authorization for \$130.00 to cover the one (1) month extension of time fee;
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